The Wetaskiwin Times.

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The Merchants Bank OF CANADA

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80 BRANCHES 80

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Town Topics.

A pleasant dance was given in Heric's Hall last Friday evening.

Mrs. Aylwin went to Edmonton on Tuesday's train on business.

M. E. O'Brien made a professional trip to Edmonton Tuesday evening.

Miss McIntyre, of Edmonton, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Georgie West, this week.

G. P. Smith, of Smith & Miller, Duhamel, made a business trip to Edmonton on Monday's train.

A. W. R. Markley, of Calgary, came into town on Tuesday evening's train on insurance business.

O'Brien & Son have sold N. M. Reuther's farm for the advertised sum in last week's issue of The Times.

Geo. Wilson, representing Clark Bros., stationers, of Winnipeg, came into town on Tuesday's train.

The C.N.R., train is at last running on regular time from Strathcona to Edmonton. It connects with all passenger trains.

C. W. Strathy, manager of the Canada Permament and Western Canada Mortgage Corporation, was in town last week on business.

Calgary has taken steps to get rid of the American silver dollars. It is stated that after New Year they will not be taken at par in any offices in the city.

Mrs. V. C. James who has been visiting her home at Peterboro, Ont., for several months, returned to town on Saturday evening's train. Mr. James met her at Calgary.

Mrs. Alex Cummings left on Monday morning's train for Ingersoll, Ont., where she will remain for some time. She has been in delicate health for some time and has gone east for medical treatment.

Messrs Smith & Miller, of Duhamel, N. W. Gould, of town, and V. Matejka, of the Alberta Hotel, are each issuing very neat and attractive calenders to their many patrons. (The calendars were printed at The Times office.)

Deputy Supreme Commander Brown, of the K.O.T.M., attended the regular meeting of the tent here last Friday evening and expressed himself as being pleased with the progress the tent has made and with the general working of the order. A candidate was initiated andthe election of officers also took place.

C. A. O'Brien, of Calgary, local manager, of The Bell Telephone Co., of Canada, was in town last week looking into the advisability of placing a telephone system in town. We understand he met with good encouragement, and we may now expect that Wetaskiwin will have a telephone system in the near future.

John Giles & Son have completed their shipments of cattle for the year and have shipped between 1100 and 1200 head during the past couple of months. They will turn their attention to the horse trade during the winter and have received a car load of choice horses from Geo. Lane's ranch south of Calgary.—Post.

Ernest Burke, who has been the popular and efficient manager of P. Burns & Co's., branch here for nearly a year, left on Saturday morning's train for Portage la Prairie, where he will conduct a butcher shop in partnership with a friend there. During Mr. Burke's sojourn here he has made hosts of friends who wish him success in his adventure. He will be greatly missed, especially in musical circles, he having been one of the best vocalists in town.

Gavin Spence and Flora McDonald will give their concert entitled "Twa Hours at Hame" in Heric's Hall on Friday evening, Dec. 19th under the auspices of Wetaskiwin Citizen's Band. In reporting a concert given in Winnipeg the Free Pree says in part:—Mr. Spence knows the climax and the power of witty repartee, redressing old anecdotes and relating new ones with the gusto of a born racenteur. He knows how to sing to catch the spirit of the words and melody of the song he is exploiting, instancing "Wi' a Hundred Piper," and "The Bonnie Hoose o' Airlie." Also the two duets with Flora McDonald. "Croo i Bawbee" and "When ye Gang Awa' Jamie." The dramatic features of Scotch Minstrelery were strongly accentuated, both entertainers appearing in Scottish costume. Flora MacDonald sang her sentimental songs very agreeably, her voice is sweet,and well expressed. The lady is likewise a neat dancer, graceful in action not tiring the patience of those present by an interminable number of steps.

Col. Young made a business trip to Calgary on Wednesday morning.

M. E. Bick, of Calgary, has accepted a situation as clerk in John West's Pioneer store.

Ole Bredeson, notary public, of Morningside, was a visitor in town Wednesday evening.

T. Bowen Davies, of the Winnipeg Free Press staff, was in town this week. He is giving the town a write-up.

Fred Facey, of the Vermillion, arrived in town on Monday and has accepted a situation with J. A. Diehl as a carpenter.

The first car of oats loaded at Edmonton passed down the line on Tuesday. It was consigned to Brackman-Ker, Vancouver.

The C.N.R. train is now running between Strathcona and Edmonton, and meets all trains arriving at and leaving Strathcona.

Arrangements are being made by the Odd Fellows, of town, to have a reception to members and their families in the I.O.O.F., hall on Christmas eve.

Mrs. (Rev.) Austin has been indisposed for several days with a severe attack of la grippe, but her many friends are glad to learn that she is recovering.

The members of the Wetaskiwin Agricultural Society held a meeting in the Council Chamber on Wednesday. A report of the proceedings will appear in our next issue.

The first carnival of the season will be held on Wednesday evening of next week. Prizes will be given for the best costumes, and a programme of races is being arranged.

Owing to the heavy traffic and severe storms in the east, the main line train has been several hours late nearly every day of the past week. As a consequence, the C. & E. train has been delayed.

Scrip to the number of some 6,000 has been issued to the veterans of the Fenian Raids of 1866 and 1870. It is only available in New Ontario but it is probable that it has a cash value also in the east.

Stephen Swoboda, of the Merchants Bank staff, left on Monday's train for Leduc, where he will assist in the branch there. He has only been in the bank a few months, and has received a quick promotion.

Attention is drawn to the change of advts of the following:—John West; Fowler, Murdoff & Breen; Whip W. Sharpe, E. T. Jacobs Mrs. A. E. Knapp, Geo. B. Henwood, J. T. Willows, and G. H. L. Bossange.

An oyster supper was tendered Bros Ward, Tanton and Rix at the close of the I.O.O.F. lodge last Monday evening. Some very neat speeches were made and all wished the guests of the evening every success in their new home.

Ludwig Peterson and family arrived from Arlington, S. Dak., on last Thursday's train and will take up their residence in the Dried Meat district. Mr. Peterson is greatly taken up with this country and he says there will be a larger influx of settlers than ever next year—in fact the railway sidings will not be large enough to hold the cars of settlers effects

Those who brought carloads of settlers effects during the past week are:—A. Lee, 2 cars, Volga, S. D; H. L. Stuve, 2 cars and Almer Steve, 2 cars, Volga, S. D; L. Peterson,4 cars H. Peterson, H. Berkness, Alf Peterson, S. P. Witterberg, all of whom are from Arlington, South Dakota. Alex. Hillakson, T. H. Bretrod and H. Bretrod, of Pier, S. D. Chas. Pfeiffer, Vandali, S. D.

Messrs R. C. Ward, L. R. Rix and Geo. D. Tanton left this Thursday morning for the Grand Prairie country where they will go extensively into ranching and trading. At Leduc they will be joined by Jas. Dodds. They are going into the country over the ice with their first outfit and supplies and intend returning early in February for the balance of their outfit. These gentlemen have hosts of friends here who wish them unlimited success.

H. D. Farris' many friends will be somewhat surprised to hear that he has disposed of his machinery business and building. Reuben Switzer is the purchaser, and the consideration is a handsome figure. We are glad to learn that Mr. Farris will not leave town, but will embark in some other line of business here. Mr. Switzer is a popular young man with a keen insight in business matters, and we welcome him to town,knowing that he will make a progressive citizen.

Mr. Tallington went to Edmonton on Wednesday evening.

E. D. H. Wilkins made a professional trip to Edmonton on Wednesday's train.

C. T. Thompson left on Monday's train for Barrie, Ont., where he will renew acquaintances.

D. J. Gunn, C.P.R., relieving agent, arrived in town on Monday to relieve Mr. McManus who will take a vacation.

Messrs S. Swoboda and E. Thompson, land guide, made business trips to Edmonton on Wednesday's train.

Sunday morning Wetaskiwin experienced the coldest snap in three years, the thermometer registering 33 below zero.

A Good Send Off.

A very pleasant banquet was given in the Criterion Hotel on Tuesday evening in honor of Messrs. Ward, Tanton, and Rix, who left this Thursday morning for the Peace River district. Some forty business men and residents of the town sat down to a sumptuous supper, which was served in Host Hamilton's best style. The high esteem in which the gentlemen were held was manifested by the eulogy given them by the various speakers.

A. S. Rosenroll was toast-master, who proposed the toast of "Our Sovereign, the King." J. F. Fowler very ably proposed the toast of "The Wetaskiwin Town Council," coupled with the names of two newly elected members to the council board, Messrs. H. D. Farris and Nils Schmidt. In proposing the toast of "The country we live in," Mr. F. P. Layton made the speech of the evening, while Messrs. F. Murdoff and E. T. Jacobs, who responded to the toast, each made very witty speeches. Then came the toast of the evening, "Our Guests," which was very ably proposed by Mr. J. Y. Byers, who reverted to the arrival of each of the guests in town and of the high esteem in which each is held. While the occasion was a happy one, yet it had its sad side in the loss of three good citizens. This toast was fittingly responded to by Messrs. Ward, Tanton, Rix and Dodds. Mr. W. J. McNamara very neatly proposed the next toast, "The Professional and Commercial Interests of Alberta," which was responded to very cleverly by Mr. Geo. B. Henwood, and Mr. Geo. Wilson, of Winnipeg. Mr. P. A. Miquelon proposed the toast of the "Chairman's Health," and Mr. Rosenroll fittingly responded. "The Farming and Ranching Interests," was proposed by the chairman, and it was left in the hands of Messrs. J. Y. Byers and J. W. Hey to respond. The toast of "The Ladies" was proposed by Mr. A. S. Rosenroll, and Messrs. H. J. Montgomery and R. P. Mills, who responded proved that this toast was placed in competent hands. The happy gathering dispersed at an early hour, after wishing the guests God speed and unbounded success in their new sphere.

Church Chimes.

It is expected that the new Baptist church will be completed by the first of the new year.

Student Erickson will conduct service at Chas. Anderson's, Bittern Lake, next Sunday at 11 a. m.

Rev. W. H. Ellis will conduct service at the home of Mr. Howe Sunday at 2:30 p.m. All cordially invited.

Rev. P. Almgren will conduct service at Rose Creek next Sunday morning at 11 a.m. All cordially invited.

Rev. E. J. Hodgins, of Edmonton, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church last Sunday both morning and evening.

Rev. C. C. McLauren, general missionary of the Baptist church for Manitoba and the Territories, will address a meeting in Heric's Hall next Monday evening, Dec. 15th, in the interests of Home Missions. All cordially invited.

The supper given by the Willing Workers Society, of the Presbyterian church in the Odd Fellows Hall last Thursday evening was a most gratifying success. Turkey, chicken, salads, jellies and pastry were included in the repast. The revenue derived from the sale of work was also quite large.

Deaths.

OLSON—At Bear's Hill, on 6th inst, Mary Edna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Olson, aged 2 years.

School Report.

Several names were inadvertently omitted from Miss Brown's department in the report published last week. The report should have read as follows:—

DIVISION III.

Jun. II. Class—Waldo Bossange, Norman McEachern, Chas. Bieber, Lancelot Everts, Mabel Eggen, Annie Radeau, Agnes Armstrong, Mary Diehl, May Everts, Rowena Bossange, Clarence Allan, Clayden Hillgartner, Orland Kolb, Harold Archer, Lillie Ford, Jessie Donaldson, Earnstine Womacks.

Sen. Pt. II. Class—Carrie Pittman Charlie Youngberg, Richard Wedin Alfred Kjosness, Otto Radau, Myra Smith, Gladys Compton, Lewis Ronnie, Joe Richardson, Ella Redau, Fee Finch, Lottie Richardson, Mary Redau, Mary Wiebe.

Intermediate Pt. II.—Anna Roraff, Bennie Shantz, Edward Kelly, Tena Radau, Geo. Portiss, Etna Brock, Jo Kelly.

Jun. Pt. II.—Oscar Ronnie, Christof Kling, Harry Eggen, Ina Finch, Tom Finch, Sammy Peterson, Annie Bragien, Matilda Size, Albert Bieber, Ada Johnson, Helen Reist, Jack Richardson, Willie Ronn.

Pupils on roll 57.

Average attendance for month 49.3.

B. BROWN, Teacher.

Weather Bulletin.

The following table gives the maximum and minimum temperatures for the past week as shown by J. H. Walker's government thermometer.

The report is taken at 8 a.m. each day and includes Wednesday of this week:—

	MAX	MIN.
Thursday	10	— 3
Friday	3	— 9
Saturday	— 9	—11
Sunday	— 8	—33
Monday	—13	—27
Tuesday	— 6	—25
Wednesday	— 2	—21

Millet.

We are all practicing for the Xmas entertainment.

The new bridge over the Pipestone is completed and ready for traffic.

Mrs. R. A. Patrick left for a three months' visit to her old home in South Dakota.

Milton Wood and lady took in the dance at Wetaskiwin last Friday evening and report a good time.

Mr. Rubley was up to Edmonton last week taking his son to the hospital suffering from a complication of diseases.

There was a good attendance at the literary meeting last Saturday evening and a very interesting program was rendered.

Carpenters are working on the interior of P. J. Mullen's house, trying to barricade against the invasion of Jack Frost.

A sleigh load of our young people made a trip to Wetaskiwin on Sunday afternoon. Rather cold, but we presume they did not mind it.

Wm. Pierce, of Edmonton, is putting his saw mill in position for business at Millet. He expects to spend most of the winter sawing here.

Wm. Porter left Millet on Wednesday for a trip to New York State to visit friends. It looks as though he had got tired batching and we wish him every success.

Mrs. Johnson and daughter returned from Ponoka Tuesday where they had visited friends for a few days. They were accompanied by Missis Beda and Olga Ronn, of Wetaskiwin.

There were several land sales reported last week, among them being:—Henry Land's farm close to town at $1150, Mrs. Lane's at $1280, a quarter section by Mr. Wilson at $800, a section by Wm. Green at $3200, a half section by O. McKay at $4 per acre, and a town lot by Mr. VanAlstein for $150.

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Meets in Odd Fellows Hall every Monday evening at 8 o'clock Visiting brothers always welcome.
V. C. FRENCH, N.G.
H. H. PORTER, R.S.

Meets first and third Tuesdays of each month in Oddfellows Hall. Visiting brothers cordially invited.
F. E KELLEY, Master Workman
H. D. FARRIS, Recorder.

Meets the first and third Fridays of the month in Oddfellows Hall, at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren always welcome.
A. MIQUELON, Commander
W. HEY, Secretary.

Meets second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Heric's Hall at 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers cordially invited.
W. A. CONNIMAN, C. R.
T. C. STRETCH, Sec'y

Wetaskiwin L.O.L. 1776, meets every fourth Friday of the month in Odd Fellows Hall at 8 o'clock Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend.
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Capital Paid Up - $2,863,932
Rest - - - - $2,438,595

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V. C. FRENCH, Editor and Proprietor

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1902

Dried Meat Creek.

Intended for last week

We had a bad snow storm here which may cause the cattlemen to feed early.

A steamer is threshing on Mr. Moller's farm.

Jesse Layman and John Shultz was in from Flag Staff Hill last week.

The people of the Schneiderville school district will erect a school house at a cost of $1,600.

Herman Berke is living on his claim.

A dance and supper were given at Mr. Schneider's house the 21st, a good time is reported.

The Campbell boys, of Hardpan Flat, visited here recently.

The Tate boys and their two sisters, from Duhamel, were in these parts last week.

A party of railroad men stopped at Mr. Sutherland's over night. They were looking the country over.

The people in 46-18 are going to build a store, and are passing a petition for a post office.

Michael Lieb is doing some carpenter work for parties out east.

Joe Lieb is building a bridge for Mr. Moller.

Things are looking a little suspicious with a certain couple, boys get your pans ready.

Mr. Walkemiger had 84 bu. oats to the acre.

Edberg.

The late snow makes good sleighing.

L. S. Larsen left for Iowa last last week.

The new mail route between Edberg and Lewisville opened up this week. E. Edstrom is mail contractor.

H. Kibbe moved onto his claim last week.

Const. Smith and wife, of Duhamel, visited the berg on Tuesday.

H. O. Behrens succeeded in finding his stray mare last week.

J. Johnson and A. Anderson two new comers left for Golden, B. C. last Monday.

Beaver Lake.

P. O. Wurtz erected a new windmill on J. B. Brinoldson's farm, north of Beaver Lake. He will also put another for W. P. Ward, at the Vermillion.

Lots of snow at Beaver Lake.

People are busy hauling logs from the Beaver Hills.

Land Office Returns.

The following figures show the business of the Edmonton Land Office for November, 1900, 1901 and 1902:

	1900	1901	1902
Homestead entries,	91	72	218
Timber permits,	37	34	131
Applicat'ns for patent,	0	12	52
Letters received,	590	671	969
Letters sent,	403	366	791

Christmas Canadian Magazine.

It has been said that Canada cannot produce worthy periodicals. The Christmas Canadian Magazine shows that we are keeping pace with the world. Its handsome coloured cover, its coloured illustrations, and its excellent general appearance make it easily a rival of anything produced anywhere. As and advertisement of Canadian literature and art, as an indication of our advancing prosperity and development, it is unique. It is to be hoped that Canadians will send thousands of copies abroad so that Americans and Britishers may know that the twentieth century has arrived in Canada as well as in other parts of the Anglo-Saxon world. Six of the seven stories in the issue are written by Canadians. The paper, the ink, the engravings, the illustrations and the general mechanical progress. The cover also embodies this idea with the with the Indian in the foreground surveying the rushing express train in the distance. Price 25 cents.

An application to the British Columbia legislature has been made for a railway from Hazelton to Burrard via Peace river pass.

Sir Sanford Fleming sent a message from Ottawa around the world by the Pacific cable. The time occupied six hours.

Wetaskiwin Markets

Wednesday Dec. 10. 1902.

Wheat	o 40	to	o 55
Oats	o 20	to	o 20
Barley	o 30	to	o 35
Butter, per lb	o 15	to	o 15
Eggs, per doz	o 20	to	o 20
Flour, Blizzard, per cwt.	1 50	to	1 50
Flour, Bakers, per cwt.	2 00	to	2 00
Northern Patent, per cwt.	2 25	to	2 25
Bran, per ton	15 00	to	15 00
Shorts, per ton	18 00	to	18 00
Chop, per ton	18 00	to	20 00
Hay, per ton	5 00	to	5 00
Beef	o 03	to	o 04½
Pork	o 06½	to	o 06½

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Wanted.

2 good sound brood mares. Must be well broken to harness, not balky or kickers, weight not less than 1300 lbs each and not over 8-yrs-old. 68 dry spruce and tamrack house logs, lined on four sides, not less than 8 inches at small end; half to be 17 feet long, balance to be 20 feet long and must be of sound timber. Also four tons of good upland hay; do not want any moldy or rotten hay. Only those who mean business need answer this ad. Address
7-8 ALBERT WATTS, Millet.

Tenders for School House.

Sealed tenders for the erection of a frame school house will be received up to Saturday, Dec. 20th, 1902. The building is to be 18x26 feet with 10 ft posts. Specifications may be seen by calling at Times office, or at the office of
7-9 H. S. DJUVE,
Secretary-Treasurer Little Beaver School District, Sec. 19-44-20, Edberg.

For Sale.

A large feed barn in the town of Wetaskiwin, will hold 56 head of horses. The horses and outfit connected with the barn can be bought at a valuation. Also a 4 roomed house and lot close to the above barn. For terms as to price etc., apply to
8-9 O'BRIEN & SON.
Real Estate and Loans, Insurance, Wetaskiwin.

Farm to Exchange.

160 acres of land in Pennington Co., South Dakota, to be exchanged for land here.
Also an organ for sale or trade. For full particulars apply to
7-9 O'BRIEN & SON,
Real Estate and Loans, Insurance, Wetaskiwin.

For Sale.

Quarter section good land on Battle Lake, with or without crop on 36 acres. Completely fenced round with wire. Log house and stable. For terms and particulars apply to
18tf E. D. H. Wilkins, Wetaskiwin.

For Sale

To be sold, that well-known Battle River farm belonging to Roger R. Cherrington. 480 acres together if required, with all the stock, 130 head of cattle, 19 fine work horses and colts, 130 Shropshire sheep and 85 pigs; also the implements, etc. Hay stacked sufficient for the wintering. The only reason for selling the above property is through the death of his only son. Apply to
24tf R. R. CHERRINGTON.
Wetaskiwin

Notice of Impounded Animals

Impounded at the Wetaskiwin Town Pound, on the 18th day of November, 1902, one red cow, with little white on belly, with sucking red and white calf; no brand visible
J. S. ROBERTSON, Poundkeeper

Cow Estray

Came onto s w qr 22-45-23 on or about Nov. 10, a dark cow, age 1, white cluster of hair on right shoulder. No visible brand. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take animal away.
8-0 WM. BRIGHT, Wetaskiwin.

Heifer Estray.

Came onto the n w qr 4-46-22, on or about Aug. 31st, a roan heifer with white belly, aged about seven months, no visible brand. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take animal away.
7-9 C. O. SWANSON, Wetaskiwin.

Heifer Estray.

Come onto n w ¼ 30-46-23, on or about Oct. 1st, a year-and-a-half-old heifer, all red, with no visible brand. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take the animal away.
7-9 J. H. LYLE, Wetaskiwin.

Steer Estray.

Came onto the premises of the undersigned, n e ¼ 24-44-22, on or about November 15th, one brindle steer, 2 years old. Indistinct brand on right side. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take animal away.
7-8 CHRISTIAN R. SCHANTZ,
Lewisville.

Colts Estray.

Strayed from near Millet on or about Nov. 12, three 2-yr-old and four yearling colts. The 2-yr-olds comprised one black, one pinto with white face and one chestnut with star on forehead, while the yearlings comprised one sorrel, one light cream with white face and two chestnuts or sorrels. All branded indistinct vent sunrise on right shoulder. Suitable reward by giving information to
7-9 J. M. LANE, Millet.

Notice

The Great North-West Central Railway Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for the passing of an act extending the time within which it may finish the construction of its railway.
By order of the Board.
H. CAMPBELL OSWOLD, Secretary.
Montreal, 13th Nov., 1902. 36-44

Avis

La Compagnie du chemin de fer du Grand Nord Ouest appliquera au Parlement du Canada a la prochaine session pour passer un Acte pour prolonger le temps pour finir la construction du dit chemin de fer.
Par ordre du Bureau.
H. CAMPBELL OSWOLD, Secretaire,
Montreal, Novembre 13, 1902. 36-44

THE HEAD AND TAIL of the matter is simply this—beef cut from old animals is tough, lacks flavor, and is deficient in nourishing juices. We prefer to sell flesh of

YOUNG STOCK.

It is delicious, tender, rich and nourishing. No better meat than that sold by

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Christmas Excursions For December

Lowest round trip rates to all
ONTARIO, QUEBEC,
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Stop-over privelges east of
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and
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JOHN WEST, THE PEOPLE'S PIONEER STORE.

"Ring Out the Old, Ring in the New."

During the next few weeks we shall not talk much through the newspaper.

1902

Has been a prosperous year and we have had the largest trade ever in the history of Wetaskiwin, the brightest and busiest town in the whole North-West.

February 1st.

Is the date of our annual stock-taking. We have two good reasons for making this task as light as possible.

We want all the room we have for early spring arrivals.

We would sooner have the cost price than keep the goods until out of season.

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

Below we mention a few lines out of the large list of goods we have to offer at a cut price to clear.

Ladies' Astrachan Jackets, worth
$28 now $22.50
30 " 23.85
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45 all-wool Jackets at greatly reduced prices.

Grey Blankets, a new line, all-wool, $2.75 to $3.50.

White Blankets, Special value, $4.25.

Hardware,
House paint,
Skates,
Cutlery,
Graniteware,
Tinware,
Stoves,

Job line of pocket knives at great values.

Men's Fur Coats:
Wombat,
Bulgarian,
Calfskin,
Goat,
at 15 per cent. discount.

150 suits Men's Clothing, from the best makers, at greatly reduced prices. Don't fail to see this line.

Telescope Boots,
Fur Gauntlets,
at cost.

Bishop Sleigh Robes, grey or black:
$10 now $ 8.
12 " 9.
14 " 11.

CHRISTMAS GROCERIES.

In finest quality at lowest prices. Try our Blac Tea at 35c.

Don't fail to see our

SEWING MACHINES.

We can save you from $10 to $20 on a single purchase, and guarantee satisfaction. A lovely cabinet machine only $35. Drop head only $30.

JOHN WEST, The People's Pioneer Store.

WHOLESALE and RETAIL.

Free Delivery to all Parts of the Town.

Supplement to The Times.

Wetaskiwin, Alberta, Thursday, November 20, 1902

Calgary Steam Laundry and Clothes Cleaning Works

Laundry work done in first-class style by the most improved and scientific methods. Clothes Cleaned and Pressed and made to look like new. At lowest prices at the **Wetaskiwin Agency.** Parcels sent on Tuesday returned on Saturday—express free.

F. P. Layton,
Local representative

For a Smooth SHAVE
And Quick Service
Call on BILLY the BARBER
PEARCE ST., WETASKIWIN
Children's Hair Cutting
And Razor Grinding
A Specialty

DONG TOM,
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Good washing done. Special attention given to ironing and starching.
Goods are called for and delivered.

W. H. Tate's
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Smooth Shave and Stylish Haircut.

First door north of Criterion Hotel.
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F. EASTMAN
GENERAL BLACKSMITH
Wagon and all kind of Vehicle making a specialty
Repairing of all kinds, and Horseshoeing promptly done
EAST SIDE OF TRACK, WETASKIWIN

News Items.

Hon. G. H. V. Bulyea says there is a grain blockade in the North West Territories.

It is expected that the last C.P.R. boat will leave Owen Sound for Fort William on Nov. 29.

Thousands of Russians and Germans will come to Western Canada via Odessa in the spring.

The first train over the C.N.R. from winnipeg reached Neepawa.

The Presbyterian Synod in session at Portage la Prairie has decided to meet at Brandon next year.

The Ontario government has made arrangements for the settlement of 12,000 American settlers in the northern part of the province.

The Doukhobors have petitioned the Sultan of Turkey for permission to settle in his country.

The government of Australia is contemplating the importation of a large shipment of Canadian bass spawn.

It is reported that Arch Duke Francis Ferdinand has abdicated his right of succession to the Austrian crown in favor of his nephew, the Arch Duke Charles Francis.

During October 6,511 settlers arrved in Winnipeg, of whom 4,081 were United States citizens.

The total shipment of gold from the Yukon this season was $11,600,000.00.

Ottawa, Nov. 15—Application will be made at the next session of parliament for an act to incorporate the Edmonton and Peace River Ry. Co., to construct a line of railway commencing at Edmonton, thence northerly to Athabasca Landing, thence following the Athabasca river, in a northwesterly direction, crossing the river at its junction with Little Slave river, thence following Little Slave river westward to Lesser Slave lake, thence following either side of Lesser Slave lake to its western limit, thence in a northwesterly direction to Peace river, opposite Fort Dunvegan, thence proceeding generaly in westerly direction, on the south side of Peace river, to the forks of the Pine river, British Columbia, with power to build a branch line to Grand Prairies, and construct a tramway at Vermillion rapids on Peace river, and at the portages on Slave river.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We are prepared to quote prices on

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FEED & SALE
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Draying promptly done.
Competent Guides provided with Rigs if necessary.
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Livery, Feed & Sale Stable

Having purchased the long-established livery stable from J. C. McKay, I will run an up-to-date barn, having the

Best Horses and Vehicles

DRAYING AND TEAMING
OF ALL KINDS A SPECIALTY

P. Patenaude,
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Draying & Teaming

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Japanese Chinaware.
Five O'clock Tea Sets.
Chocolate Sets.
Cream Jugs.
Cups and Saucers.
Fruit Sets.
Jardeneers.
Vases.
Lacquered Glove Boxes.
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and all the requisites of **a First-Class Drug Store.**

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List your farm with us. If your price is reasonable we will find you a buyer.

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Wholesale Liquor Store.

On July 1st I will open a Wholesale Liquor Store in Gould's Block, next door to the General Store, and will carry the very best brands of Wines, Whiskeys, Cigars, etc. Call around and see me.

CHAS. D. TATE.

Time to Discharge

the worn out and old fashioned kitchen utensils. They make the cook tired and help to spoil much good food.

Many new things here for saving labor, saving steps and saving waste.

COOKING UTENSILS

scientifically constructed. House furnishings that are really household helps and not pocketbook drains.

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The Only Safe Coal Oil Burner.

No Smoke,
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Greater Light,
Lower Cost.

No Danger of Explosion.

SOMETHING NEW!

THE INCANDESCENT LAMP BURNER.

A, or No. 1 size, 30 cents.
B, or No. 2 size, 40 cents.

Can be returned if not satisfactory.

Jacobs' Hardware Store

Good Roads.

The movement of last summer for "Goods Roads" in Central and North Alberta resulted in steps being taken to enable the people to bring their views upon this important subject to the notice of the Federal Government by means of petitions, supported by representatives. Measures were promptly adopted by the Chairman of the Delegation, Mr. John T. Moore, and the secretary Treasurer, Mr. H. H. Gaetz, to give the petitions a wide circulation in the district; and instructions were also given as to the appointment of delegates. The hearty response is found in the great array of numerously-signed petitions which are now in the hands of these officers; and in many other communications reciting hardship and loss—thus furnishing a volume of public opinion which should arrest the attention of the Government.

Next, is the suitable presentation of this matter to the Administration at Ottawa—having the Premier and as many of his colleagues present as possible.

The duty now is to complete arrangements pertaining to the Delegation. Where appointments have not been made they should be attended to at once and any petitions that have not been returned should be sent to Mr. H. H. Gaetz, Red Deer, Alta., without delay. The audience will probably be obtained during February. Some Delegates will go east upon the Christmas excursions, good for three months, and will devote considerable time and attention to promoting this matter.

It would be a pity that any place or interest should suffer by neglecting the appointment of a Delegate upon this important subject.

$500,000 spent upon "Good Roads" throughout Alberta—and done promptly—would prove the most productive investment that Canada has ever made.

Previous Records Broke.

Regina, Dec. 5.—The present year's crop of the Northwest Territories promises to be the largest on record, the total yield of wheat, oats and barley estimated at 3,000,000 bushels in excess of the crop of 1901, and being 14,279,920 bushels greater than the 1899 yield, the largest yield prior to 1901.

No final official estimate has yet been issued by the department of agriculture, Regina, but the crop bulletin issued in September gives the total acreage under crop in the Territories, together with an estimate of the yield based on the condition of the crop at that time.

According to that bulletin the yield was estimated at; Wheat 14,649,500; oats, 10,725,500; barley, 844,000 bushels, making the total yield of these three grains of 26,219,000 bushels, as compared with 23,319,679 bushels in 1901, and 11,939,080 bushels in 1899.

The total area under wheat is 585,576 acres, and at the estimated yield of 14,649,500 bushels, the average yield per acre is 25.1 bushels as compared with 25.4 in 1901.

The total yield of oats is estimated at 10,725,500 bushels on an acreage of 276,942 acres, indicating an average yield of 38.7 bushels against 42.8 bushels in 1901.

The average yield of barley, estimating this year's crop at 844,000 bushels, with the average at 30,022 acres, is 28.1 bushels per acre. Last year the average yield of barley was 32.1 bushels per acre.

A Neighborly Chat.

The Weekly Free Press, Winnipeg, in the monthly distribution of pictures to its subscribers aims at giving typical examples of different schools of Art. Their previous pictures deal with sporting, western and American scenes, but with the November distribution they gave a charming view of the Flemish life. The title of the picture is "A Neighborly Chat" and is by Franz Van Leemputten, the celebrated Belgian Artist. It depicts a scene full of the spirit of tranquil simplicity of European life. The drawing of the big Flemish draught horses and the man and woman is very true, while the coloring of the scene in which the figures are set is exquisitive. It is a worthy companion picture to its predecessors. We understand Weekly Free Press readers will receive an exceptionally handsome and appropriate picture for December. It will not be given until about Christmas and it is the intention to make the subject suggestive of the season.

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Meals at all hours.

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All kinds of fresh and salt meats constantly on hand. Also Fish in season.

Give us a trial order.

FINCH & MITCHELL.

Cattle Dehorning.

Having purchased a dehorning rack, I am in a position to do dehorning on short notice. Prices reasonable.

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DICKSON'S

West End Store.

OUR CLOTHING SALE

is still on, and many have taken advantage of it. There yet remains a few BOYS' and MEN'S SUITS, OVERCOATS and PANTS, and LADIES JACKETS. Call and secure one while the chance lasts.

A new lot of Ladies' Skirts have arrived. "The Perfect Fit." Call and see them.

In Groceries we are daily receiving new goods. We have a fine stock of Raisins, Currants and Peels, for your Christmas cakes and puddings.

Also Toys, Dolls, and Books, for the youngsters.

A car of ONTARIO APPLES just arrived, $5 per barrel.

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WEST END STORE.

LADIES!

Xmas goods.

A fine display of Silks and Satins for evening walats, the very latest thing. Ladies' Flannelette Underwear. Drawers from 40c up. Night Gowns from 75c up. Ladies' Silk Mitts and Silk Hose. Children's Wool Socks and Children's Coats made to order. A full line of very handsome Children's Bonnets, very cheap. All trimmed hats at a great reduction. Ready to wear hats from 75c up Some very handsome Cushions made up complete from $1.25 up. Ladies' Ready-Made Skirts, the latest styles at a bargain. Ladies' Ready-Made Black Cloth Suits. A fine very handsome Bridal Robe. Also Bridal Veils and Orange Blossoms, a special line for Xmas. A full line of Corsets, the latest styles. A full range of Fancy Goods, Embroidery, Silks, Centre Pieces, Ladies' Silk Ties, the very latest thing. Infants' Christening Robes.

A first-class Dress and Mantle Parlor in connection with the Millinery store. All work first-class. Prices reasonable.

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All kinds of Stock Brands made on short notic

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Unequalled Cuisine
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If you are out of health, get a bottle of

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For the cure of all Disorders arising from Impurity of the BLOOD.

It is a true Nerve Tonic and Restorer—Alterative, Laxative, and Diuretic- Regulates the Bowels, Liver, and Kidneys, renews Vitality, restores Appetite, induces healthy Sleep and strengthens the system to resist the attacks of diseases incident to a vitiated condition of the vital fluid. It is most valuable for-

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WOUNDS, SORES, SADDLE and COLLAR GALLS are quickly cured by using

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The most reliable and quickest healing preparation ever invented and is easily used, being applied by a feather. Price, 50 cents.

If your horse is out of condition—dull and slow, don't monkey with cheap and worthless mixtures, but get a 50 cent box of

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I keep in stock only the Purest Drugs and Medicines and devote my whole time and attention to their careful preparation.

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Cures Corns every time, price 25 cents. I guarantee this preparation and will return the money if it does not do all I say.

English Horse Liniment for sprains, etc. Price 50 cents.

Dr. Ransom's Worm Killer, for Horses, price 50 cents.

I always keep in stock the following:—Fine Tar, Oil of Tar, Camphor, Ginger, Gentian, Ground Flax Seed, Sulphate of Iron, Sulphur, Saltpeter, Hoof-rot Remedy, Epsom Salts, Glauber Salts, Turpentine, Linseed Oil and a full line of Patent Medicines.

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We have been busy helping Santa Claus gathering together such good things as Santa Claus would like to see you and your children have, and now we wish to say they are all ready for distribution.

The Store Where Satisfaction Centres.

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Women's Felt House Slippers

We have the cheap ones.
We have the Good Ones.
Made of good quality American Felt, high cut around ankles, fur bound, felt insole, with leather sole and nice low heel.

Price $1.25. Size 3 to 7.

DITTO—The famous ***Dolques***

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None genuine without this name stamped on sole.

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Made of good strong English Rep cloth, with felt soles, covered with genuine English cork soles

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A Special Slipper at a Special Price, $2.10

DITTO—High cut around ankle, elastic in sides, "Never-rip soles," suitable for house wear, or general wear under overshoes,

Worth $3 for $2.65

Children's Slippers

Made of English Felt, without soles,

Price 25c.

All sizes; also a large stock. Make the little ones happy with a pair of good slippers.

Furs Furs

Our Furs never disappoint, but have made hosts of friends for us. Why buy inferior goods because they are cheap, when you can get superior goods at same price? Early in the season we said we could save purchasers 15% to 25%. Our sales have verified this statement. Balance of our splendid stock must be sold by JANUARY 1st. Now's your chance

Raw Furs . .

As we receive quotations as to fur values from Northern and Eastern markets, we are in a position to offer highest prices for raw furs. Bring in your Rat, Beaver, Wolf, Fox, Marten, Otter and Skunk.

Dry Goods.

Ladies' Jackets.

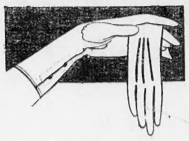
Out of our large stock of Ladies' Jackets we have still a few left. Out they go at the following reductions:

1 only Ulster, worth $16 for $10.75
1 " Cloth Jacket, worth $15.00 for $10.
3 only Cloth Jackets, worth $12 for $9.50.
1 only Cloth Jacket, worth $11 for $8.75.
3 only Cloth Jackets, worth $8 for $5.75.
1 only Cloth Jacket, worth $7.50 for $5.50.
1 only Cloth Jacket, worth $7 for $4.50.
1 only Cloth Jacket, worth $5 for $3.50.
1 only Cloth Jacket, worth $4 for $2.50.

Kindly remember that above Jackets were originally bought at 25% off regular wholesale prices and that at the above quotations they are being sold at half their value.

Children's Coats.

A few Children's Coats made of eider-down and blanket cloths, neatly trimmed. Price $3.50.



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in great profusion.

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A large assortment to choose from at from 60c. to $6.

Xmas Handkerchiefs.

In Lawn, Linen and Silk. Special in this line: 25 doz. Lawn Handkerchiefs, neatly trimmed, with lace and insertion. Worth 20c for 12½c each.

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For up-to-date Waists for Ladies'.

For next ten days balance of our stock of French Flannels in new and up-to-date patterns, worth 60c for 32½c.

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A special line of 24 inch towelling, good weights, @ 10c per yard.

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APPLES

We have just received a carload of the finest B. C. Apples. Come in and get your winter's supply.

Have you tried

MALTA VITA

the delicious breakfast food? It is the enemy of dyspepsia and the antidote to biliousness; large package **only 20c.**

BOYS GIRLS

Tetley's
Tea Served FREE
Come in and have a Cup.

We are Agents for
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Patterns

We will Give A Bag of Candy

To Every Boy and Girl who visits our Toy Department between 10 and 12 a. m. on Saturday, 20th Dec.

Everything for Xmas cooking---
RAISINS, CURRANTS
Peels, Spices and Flavoring

We have Seeded Raisins
Ontario Honey, 20c. lb.
Our Candies and Biscuits are the very best A box of Bon-Bons would be a very nice present to make to a young lady.
We have a Roasted Modia and Java Coffee at 40c per lb., which is very choice.
We are running for one week only a splendid BLACK TEA at 35c lb., worth 50c.

We have a choice range of **Pipes and Fancy Tobaccos.** An appropriate Xmas present is one of our beautiful PIPES OR CIGAR CASES.

Verily, Bread is the Staff of Life—**if you use Lake of the Woods Milling Company's Flour.** We are agents for this famous flour

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We have some very handsome goods that will make charming presents for friends.

Placques—real works of art—depicting historical buildings or beautiful fancies.

China cups and saucers in large variety and many designs.

We have lamps that are not only useful, but also ornamental.

Toys.

Dolls, dressed and undressed.

Mechanical Negroes, Automobiles, Etc.

Jumping Jacks.

Another large consignment of toys expected this week.

Furniture.

We have been selling Furniture for a small profit, but we have determined to reduce it still lower.

You can get a

Bureau,
Washstand,
Bed,
Lounge,
or
Cupboard,

at your own price while the opportunity lasts.

Bureaus
Worth $15 for $10.
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Washstands
Worth $12 for $8.
" 8 " 4.

Hardware

We still have a few dozen

Carving Sets . .

left. They have Buck-horn handles English steel and razor steel blades,

From $1 up to $10.50.

Don't Forget the Norwegian Pocket Knives

Price $1

Oh Shoot!

We have some **Boys' Rifles** that will shoot 22 short or long cartridges, for $1.75 each.

We have **Rogers' A1 47 Quadruple Plate Table, Tea and Dessert Spoons** marked away down.

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Skates for the large,
Skates for the small,
Skates for the short,
Skates for the tall,
Skates that will surely
Fit you all.

Alarm Alarmed Alarming

Many a good situation is lost through oversleeping. Try our remedy. A good ***Alarm Clock for $1.40.*** Guaranteed for one year.

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We are offering a Man's English Worsted Suit, made in the latest style and finished with deep facings and best of trimmings and linings for

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Our Neckties have the real prismatic blend, true to nature, therefore scientifically correct.

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